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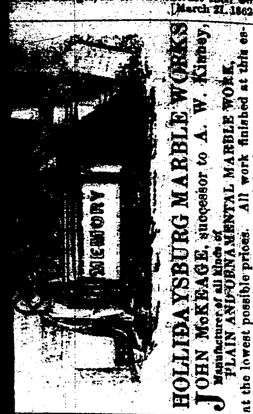

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THE UNDERSIGNED DESIRES TO
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that this spring gone into the Dry Good business
and has just received a large and entirely new stock of
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All in the line of pure, fresh and cheap
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CAKES BAKED TO ORDER.
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Please examine and price my stock and you will find
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DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL
Cities, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections
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with interest, or upon time, with interest at fair rates.
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erally, that he still continues the Drug business
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for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS,
MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISH-
ES, DYE-STUFFS.
By attention to business, and a desire to render sat
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Physicians and sundriants supplied on reasonable terms.
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LADY FRIENDS WOULD DO
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Cor. of Virginia and Caroline sts.
Altoona, June 26, 1862.

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STEAM WORKS
CORNER OF
Market and Third Streets,
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WE ARE NOW TURNING OUT A LARGE number of our improved Portable Steam Engines, and Portable Circular Saw Mills, as well as Stationary Engines and Saw Mills, many of which are finding their way into Blair, Cambria, Huntingdon and Crawford Counties, and other parts of the State of Pennsylvania. Those already received and in operation, are giving the most entire satisfaction. There is now hardly a State or Territory in the Union, but that our improved Portable Engines and Saw Mills are in use in. All our Engins have Spark Arrester Stacks on them which confine the flying sparks.

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We take pleasure in recommending those in want of Saw Mills and Engines to purchase of you.

Respectfully, C. RAYNOLDS & E. ANDRESS.

We are authorized to say, for Mr. Samuel Milliken, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., that the 20 horse power Portable Engine and Saw Mill we sold him, has fully met his expectation and proved itself to be all that was claimed for it in our circular; and since starting it, has sent in his order for a second Engine and Saw Mill, of same power and size.

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We fully warrant our Engines and Saw Mills, to be made of first-class material; workmanship the same; with Brass Ball Valves in pumps and checks, and to saw from 6,000 to 10,000 feet of lumber per day—say 10 hours. Orders solicited. Description circular sent to all correspondents. Respectfully,

J. & J. H. DUVALL.
Corner Market and 3rd Streets.
Just opposite C. O. R. Road Depot, Zanesville, Ohio.
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O, YES! O, YES!!
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GROCERIES.
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Thankful to the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore received, he hopes by strict attention to business, and an endeavor to please, to merit a continuance of the same.
☞ Call and examine his Stock, and you will be convinced that he has the best assortment and cheapest Goods in the market.
☞ Country Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods at market prices.
Altoona, April 28, 1863.

EXCELSIOR
Hat & Cap Store.
THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EXCELSIOR" HAT and CAP Store, would inform his customers, and the Public generally, that he has just returned from the city with the largest and most varied stock of goods in his line ever brought to Altoona, all of which he has now on exhibition and sale at his new store room on Virginia street, next door to Jaggard's store. His stock embraces all the latest styles of
SPRING AND SUMMER
HATS, CAPS,
MISSES' FLATS, &C.
His Stock of Hats and Caps are of the very best selection, of every style, color and shape, for both old and young.
All he asks is that the people call and examine his stock, and he feels confident that he can send them away rejoicing, if not in the purchase of such an article as they wanted, at the remembrance of having looked upon the handsomest stock of Hats, Caps, Flats, &c., ever exhibited in this town.
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Ladies' and Childrens' Hats and Flats,
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BEST QUALITY AND AT THE LOWEST PRICES.
The purest Wines and Liquors for Medicinal, Mechanical and Sacramental purposes always in store.
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Choice Poetry.

A SUMMER NIGHT.

We sat together, you and I.
That evening in the month of June,
Beneath the porch; the deep blue sky
Held the sharp crescent of the moon.

So mildly shone her silvery light
On the smooth lawn it seemed to sleep.
Sweet odors filled the Summer night
From fragrant gardens ankle deep.

The honey-suckle, wet with dew,
Scattered her perfume on the air;
Soft gales from spicy woodlands blew.
And toyed each moment with your hair.

And now and then the drowsy herd,
From meadow pastures far and near.
Lowed dreamily; the startled bird
Twittered the while; and sweet, clear.

The murmur of the cool, dark stream,
That woo'd with song the heart of night;
And through the vines, a truant beam
Of moonlight kissed your neck so white.

I held your render hand—we talked
About the future and the past;
Or sometimes down the path we walked
Beneath the lindens; till at last.

The moon sank in the violet case,
Gilding the thin clouds as she went;
And on the lawn the shades increased
Till all the doubtful dusk was blent.

When suddenly upon the night,
Near where the moon had sunk to rest,
Kindled a strange mysterious light
Behind the ragged mountains crest.

And up the glittering arch of blue,
And far across the billowy plain,
As through the air the meteor flew,
A ball of fire with streaming mane.

How wildly gleamed your startled eye,
How tight your fingers clasped my hand,
As slowly in the western sky
It faded, leaving all the land.

To darkness and the silent stars.
That night, upon my restless bed
I tossed, in dreams of cruel wars
And fields of battle strewn with dead.

Select Miscellany.

LIZZIE DALE'S EXPERIMENT.

BY AUSTIN C. BURDICK.

"If ever I marry," said Bertha Drake, and Bertha patted her little foot upon the floor most expressively as she spoke—"if ever I marry," she repeated, "My husband will do just as I wish him to do."

"Perhaps he will," returned Lizzie Dale, with a quiet smile, "because you would not of course, wish him to do anything to which he was really opposed."

"I am not sure about that, Lizzie. These men need to be governed some, I assure you, and if I am ever married my husband will do as I tell him."

"If you are ever married?" repeated Lizzie Dale, "Why you are to be married very soon Bertha"

"Yes, I suppose I am; but not until I am assured that Mr. Henry Wilder will be a dutiful husband."

"I think there will be no danger about that, for Henry has the name of being a very kind, generous, noble young man."

"I know all that," said Bertha, with another very expressive pat of her foot; "but those qualities he gives for the benefit of all. He must have some virtues for me alone."

"And what more can you expect" asked Lizzie, with a touch of seriousness in her manner.

"I tell you what," returned Bertha, with real determination. "In the first place he shall leave off smoking. O, I do so abominate that filthy tobacco. He must promise me this. Then there are his club meetings; he goes there once a week, and spends half his time there; his "Literary Club," he calls it, but's only for the purpose of smoking tobacco, and telling stories, that he goes there. He must put a stop to that, too. In short, he will go where I go."

Lizzie Dale smiled.

"I'm in earnest, Lizzie," continued Bertha, "and let me advise you to try the same experiment. You, I suppose, will be married as soon as myself. Now, Mr. Sumner Dean smokes, and goes to his club, too; and, if I'm not much mistaken, he will want to go to the theatre once in a while without you. You'd better put your foot down before you are married." And again Bertha's foot came down to give strength to her meaning.

For some moments Lizzie Dale remained silent. She was a loving young girl, with a soft countenance, light brown hair, and large lustrous, blue eyes. She did not look as though she could have faced a very heavy difficulty, but gradually there stole over her countenance a sort of determined expression, and, with a meaning look, she said:

"Bertha, I shall try the experiment."

"Good!" exclaimed Bertha, clapping her hands. "O, how we will teach them."

But little more was said by the two girls. Bertha Drake rattled away in her usual happy, careless style, but Lizzie was thoughtful, and ere long they seperated.

It was but a few evenings later that Sumner Dean called to see Lizzie. He came to arrange for the marriage.

"Stop," said Lizzie, after some of the perliminaries had been arranged. She looked sober and stern—a most strange look for her. "Stop," she said, "there are a few things that I have never spoken to you about."

"Ah!" uttered Sumner, with an expression of surprise.

"Yes," returned Lizzie, with slight tremor; "you know I dislike the smell of tobacco."

"I was not aware of it, Lizzie. You have never mentioned it."

"Because it was not in my place; but now that we are to be married the case is altered. You must promise that you will leave off smoking."

Now, Lizzie Dale was what the world called rich, while young Dean had only an opening profession, with a bare competency. Perhaps the young man thought of this.

"What else is there?" he at length asked.

"You belong to one of the city clubs."

"Yes"

"Their meetings continue till nearly midnight."

"Yes."

"And you smoke there, and tell stories."

"Sometimes."

"Then you must promise me that you will go to the club no more after we are married; and you must promise me, too, not to go to the theatre without I go, too."

"Are you in earnest, now, Lizzie?"

The young man spoke with a tone and look of deep concern.

"Certainly, I am," returned Lizzie.

"Lizzie, I fear you do not rightly understand me. I have sought you for my wife because I believed you to be a pure minded, loving virtuous girl. I love you with my whole soul, and I can give you a whole generous heart, an honest name, and an untarnished honor. If you become my wife, it shall be my highest aim to make you happy; but if light whims are to be set down as matters of grave moment, and if pledges of future conduct are to be given, then, I fear, we should neither of us be happy; for in no way can you sooner injure a husband than to distrust him. All reasonable things I will do to make you happy, but I cannot promise you one thing you have just required. Do not think me obstinate, but I should lose sight of my own just pride were I to take the pledge you have just mentioned."

Sumner expected to have seen a dark-looking frown upon Lizzie's face, but he was surprised to see in the stead thereof a bright, joyous, beaming, and half-roguish smile.

"I have tried my experiment," she cried, as she laid a hand upon her lover's shoulder, and I am happy in my success. I knew you loved your social club meetings, for I have often heard you speak of the intellectual treats you there received; and whatever may be the real character of smoking, I knew it was a favorite habit with you. If you had promised to give these up to please me I should have thought you had not that manly independence that belongs to a noble hearted man. I should fear that for the sake of conciliating me, you would deceive me. No, no Sumner, seek just such enjoyments as your own good judgement shall tell you are right, and fear not that I shall find fault."

Sumner Dean was a proud happy man, and, at that moment, he took a silent pledge—but one deep in his heart—that he would never do a thing that would make Lizzie unhappy.

Lizzie and Bertha had been married nearly a year. One pleasant winter evening Sumner Dean and his wife called at the dwelling of Henry Wilder. They entered and found Bertha all alone.

"Where is Henry?" asked Lizzie, as she laid off her things.

"He has gone to his club," returned Bertha, in a low tone.

"Then you remain here, and I will go and bring him home," said Mr. Dean, speaking to his wife. "Now that we have come we must have his company."

As Sumner spoke he left the apartment.

"Ah, Bertha," said Lizzie, in a half-playful tone. "I thought you were going to put a stop to this."

Bertha's eyes filled with tears, as she said: "He did promise me, but he has deceived me. And just smell the filthy tobacco smoke in this room, too. I wish I had never trusted him."

"Did you ever trust him?" asked Lizzie, in a low meaning tone; "fully trust to his manly honor and love?"

"Why, what do you mean, Lizzie?"

"I mean to ask you if you ever trusted Henry as a loving wife should trust a fond husband. Did you ever give him to know that you had the fullest confidence in his honor?"

"Certainly, I have," returned Bertha

"Then," said Lizzie, "Henry has also deceived me, for I always thought him a really kind hearted man."

"But you see how kind he is uttered the afflicted wife "He promised me, before we were married, that he would cut the club, and quit smoking"

"Did Henry make these promises freely?"

"He made them."

"Ah, that may be; but they were forced, were they not?"

Bertha was silent.

"Then, when he fell back after your marriage, you were petulant, and perhaps accused him of deceiving you? Let me tell you the experiment I tried before I was married—you remember I promised to try one." And Lizzie related what the reader already knows. "And ever since my marriage I have pursued that course. My husband knows I place entire confidence in him seeking only to make him happy: the consequence is, he anticipates me in words of love and good will. He sometimes drops in to the club room, but he never remains late. This evening he asked me if I had any other engagement for him: I told him I thought of visiting you, but would put it off if he wished to go to his club. But he would not think of the club for a moment when I had an engagement for him like this. Ah, Bertha, you know not what a jewel you may be crushing in the heart of your husband. Trust him, Bertha. Make him feel that you honor and respect him. Hark! here they come. For Henry's sake: for your sake, try my experiment."

At that moment the two husbands entered the apartment. Henry Wilder looked at his wife and found her in tears. A bitter curl half gathered about his lips, but the presence of his friends aroused him to a sense of propriety, and he asked: "Are you not well, Bertha?" The fair wife returned her husbands look, and placing her arms around his neck she imprinted a trembling kiss upon his lips.—Henry Wilder was puzzled, but it was the happiest puzzle that ever fell to his thoughts The evening passed on and Bertha grew bright and sparkling in her wit, while her husband seemed almost bending beneath the weight of a new found joy.

Months rolled on, and Bertha was a happy wife; she had found in Henry a truly noble, kind hearted husband. The longer she lived the more reason she had to bless the time when she first tried "*Lizzie Daile's experiment.*

PROPRIETY.—Propriety is to a woman what the great Roman critic says action is to an orator; it is the first, the second, and the third requisite. A woman may be knowing, active and amusing; but without propriety she cannot be amiable. Propriety is the centre in which all the lines of duty and agreeableness meet. It is to character, what proportion is to figure, and frame to attitude. It does not depend on any perfection, but it is the result of general excellence.

It shows itself by a regular, orderly, undeviating course; and never starts from its sober orbit into any splendid eccentricities, for it would be ashamed of such praise as it might extort by any deviations from its proper path. It renounces all commendation but what is characteristic; and I would make it the criterion of true taste, right principle and genuine feeling in a woman, whether she be less touched with all flattery of exaggerated and romantic panegyric, than with that beautiful picture of elegant propriety which Milton draws of our first mother, whom he deliniates,

"Those thousand decencies which daily flow
From all her words and actions."

☞ A jolly fellow had an office next door to a doctor's. One day, an elderly gentlemen of the old fogy school blundered into the wrong shop.

"Is the doctor in?"

"Don't live here," said the lawyer who was in full scribble over his documents.

"Oh! I thought this was his office?"

"Next door."

"Pray sir, can you tell me has the doctor many patients?"

"Not living."

"The old gentleman told the story in the vicinity, and the doctor threatened the lawyer with a libel suit.

☞ A stagnant soul, like a stagnant pool, breeds insects, and reptiles, and slime.

LONG DRESSES.

The "Autocrat" of the *Atlantic Monthly* gets off the following:

"But confound the make believe women we have turned loose in our streets, where do they come from? Why there isn't a beast or a bird that would drag its tail, through the dirt in the way these creatures do their dresses. Because a queen or a dutchess wears long robes on great occasions, a maid-of-all work, or a factory girl thinks she must make herself a nuisance by trailing through the street picking up and carrying about with her—bah! that's what I call getting vulgarity into your bones and marrow. Making believe be what you are not is the essence of vulgarity.

Show over dirt is the one attribute of vulgar people. If any man walk behind one of these women, and see what she rakes up as she goes, and not feel squeamish he has got a tough stomach.—I wouldn't let one of them into my room without serving them as David did Saul at the cave in the wilderness—cut off her skirts!

Don't tell me that a true lady ever sacrifices the duty of keeping all around her sweet and clean to the wish of making a vulgar show. I won't believe it of a lady.

There are some things which no fashion has any right to touch, and cleanliness is one of these things.

If a woman wishes to show that her husband or father has got money which she wants and means to spend, but doesn't know how, let her buy a yard or two of silk and pin it to her dress when she goes out to walk but let her unpin it before she goes into the house there may be some poor woman that will think it worth disinfecting.

It is an insult to a respectable launderess to carry such things into a house for her to deal with.

AN IRISHMAN IN TROUBLE.—During the draft in the Fourteenth Ward, Philadelphia, a few days ago, an incident occurred that gave rise to much merriment. In the crowd there stood a pale-faced Irishman with his hands crossed and arms behind his back. He gazed intently as each name was drawn from the wheel of destiny. He had not been heard to speak a word to anybody. Presently he appeared to be operated upon by some unseen galvanic battery. During his spasm he exclaimed in an F sharp tone; "Wherl it round! wherl it round! rouse it will ye!" shouted the man. He was evidently full of dread suspense.

"What's the matter with you?" said the Provost Marshal.

"Oh, be jabers, turn it around a dozen of times, for that man you drawed last, is my next door neighbor!"

At this point, the universal laugh come in.

LIFE'S HAPPIEST PERIOD.—Kingsley gives his evidence on this disputed point. He thus declares:

"There is no pleasure that I have experienced like a child's mid-summer holiday—the time, I mean, when two or three of us used to go away up the brook, and take our dinners, with us, come home at night tired, dirty, happy, scratched beyond recognition, with a greasy nosegay, three little trout, and one shoe, the other having been used for a boat, till it had gone down with all hands out of soundings. How poor our Derby days, our Greenwich dinners, our evening parties, where there are plenty of nice girls, after that! Depend upon it, a man never experiences such pleasures or grief after fourteen as he does before, unless, in some cases, in his first love-making, when the sensation is new to him."

☞ A writer beautifully remarks that a man's mother is the representative of his Maker. Misfortune and mere crime set no barriers between her and son. While his mother lives, a man has one friend on earth who will not desert him when he is needy. Her affection flows from a pure fountain, and ceases only at the ocean of eternity.

☞ A patriotic writer who is of the opinion that ladies of the present day would make good soldiers, because the dress they wear by day they might make a good tent of at night.

☞ "I am astonished, my dear young lady, at your sentiments; you make me start." "Well, sir, I have been wanting you to start for the last half hour."

☞ If it be difficult to rule thine anger it is wise to prevent it; avoid, therefore, all occasions of falling into wrath, or guard thyself against them whenever they occur.

☞ When we record our angry feelings let it be on the snow, that the first beam of sunshine may obliterate them forever.

☞ Embrace as many opportunities as you please, but only one woman.

PRODUCING A SUBSTITUTE.—Editors, like other shrewd men, must live with their eyes and ears open. A good story is told of one who started a paper in a Western town.

The town was intested by gamblers, whose presence was a source of annoyance to the citizens, who told the editor if he did not come out against him they would not take the paper. He replied that he would give them a "smasher" the next day. Sure enough his next issue contained the promised "smasher," and on the following morning the redoubtable editor, with scissors in hand, was seated in his sanctum, when in walked a large man with a club in his hand, who demanded to know if the editor was in?

"No, sir," was the reply; "he has stepped out. Take a seat and read the paper—he will return in a minute."

Down sat the indignant man of cards, crossed his legs, and commenced reading a paper. In the meantime the editor quietly vampoosed, and at the landing he met another man with a cudgel in his hand, who asked if the editor was in.

"Yes, sir," was the prompt response; "you will find him seated up stair, reading a newspaper."

The latter, on entering the room, with a furious oath, commenced a violent assault upon the former, which was resisted with equal ferocity. The fight continued till both rolled to the foot of the stairs, and pounded each other to their hearts content.

PHILOSOPHIC.—"First class in philosophy, come up. Ichabod, what are the properties of heat?"

"The properties of heat is to bake bread boil water, cook eggs, and—

"Stop—next. What are the properties of heat?"

"The properties of heat is to warm your toes when they get cold, by holding them to the fire, add so forth."

"Next."

"The chief proprieties of heat is that it expands bodies, when cold contracts them."

"Very good, Solan. Can you give me an example?"

"Yes, sir; in summer, when it is hot, the days are long—and in winter, when it is cold, the days get to be very short."

"Go to the head, Solan. Boys, take your seats."

And the learned pedegogue was lost in the wonder that so familiar an illustration had escaped his philosophic mind.

A PARALLEL.—Beauregard's bombastic protest against the bombardment of Chalestion has led to the publication of the following historical parallel:

In 1812 Marshall Geard, commanding the French, bombarded Antwerp with twenty-inch mortar shells, against which Baron Chasse, commanding the defences, entered the following protest:

"In the name of humanity, Christianity and the good burghers of Antwerp, I protest against the atrocity of employing bomb-shells of the unexampled diameter of twenty-four inches! The largest bomb-shells known to civilized war—and these seldom used, and scarcely sanctioned by Christianity—have a diameter of thirteen inches. I announce to you that if you fire any more of these monstrous twenty-four inch missiles, I shall at once surrender the city, entering my protest against you in the name of humanity, and appealing to God, my government, and the Christian world to deny you the least honor from a victory so infamous."

A Mathematician being asked by a stout fellow:

"If two pigs weigh twenty pounds how much will a stout hog weigh?"

The mathematician replied—

"Jump into the scales, and I will tell you immediately

READING.—The amusement of reading is among the greatest consolations of life; it is the nurse of virtue, the upholder in adversity, the prop of independence, the support of elevated opinions; it is the repeller of the scoff and the knave's poison.

☞ "My wife," said a wag the other day, "came near calling me honey last Saturday night"

"Indeed now how was that?"—Why she called me old beeswax."

☞ The human heart like a feather bed, must be roughly handled, well shaken, and exposed to a variety of turns, to prevent it becoming hard.

☞ The most tender hearted man we ever heard of was a shoemaker, who always shut his eyes and whistled when he ran his awl into a sole.

☞ Plato being told that some enemies had spoken ill of him, said: "It matters not; I will endeavor so to live, that no one shall believe them."

☞ Why are the eyebrows like mistakes? Because they are oversights.

Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA, PA.

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 16, 1863.

Another Invasion.

We have our fears of another invasion of Maryland and Pennsylvania, notwithstanding the reports that different corps and divisions of Lee's army are being sent South to reinforce Beauregard at Charleston, and Bragg and Johnson in front of Rosecrans and Burnside. The rebel army now moves in the centre of a circle, while the Union army moves around the outside, consequently the former can throw troops from one point to another much more rapidly than the latter, and although corps and divisions may have been sent South from Lee's army, they could easily be recalled in time to make a raid North just previous to the election in this State; and if another invasion is attempeed, it will be at that time.

Knowing the result of two attempts to invade the North, it would, without due consideration, appear like consumate folly, and a courting of destruction, for the Rebel leaders to undertake a third trip of the kind. Whether the third invasion ever be even attempted, it is now strongly talked of and urged by the Richmond papers, and, if we are not much mistaken, this State will be thrown into an excitement, greater than that of June last, ere the October election, unless something be done, and that speedily, to divert the rebels in another direction. An editorial in a recent issue of the Richmond *Inquirer* details the programme, and lets us into the secret

We know there are persons, even in this community, who will hoot at this.—There were those whose facilities for being posted on the general news were as good as ours, who hooted at us when we gave credence to the report that Lee's army was on its way to Pennsylvania, in June last; and when we had the most positive evidence that Stewart's cavalry were in Chambersburg, they asserted with great gusto that there was not an armed rebel in the State, and characterized the excitement of those in authority as a "great scare," gotten up by Gov. Curtin for political effect. We always knew that politics blinden, but this proved it to be more blinding than me had imagined. The sequel opened their eyes. They cannot deny that there was a terrific battle fought at Gettysburg, on the 2d and 3d of July, and that Gettysburg is in Pennsylvania. We will allow our readers to imagine for themselves what would be the situation of Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Harrisburg, and, with the assistance of the rioters, even New York city, had Lee been succesful at Gettysburg. Undoubtedly the New York riot would have been more extensive, and the riots attempted in other places resulted more disastrously. The "scare" did not come soon enough, and the destruction of one of the finest valleys in Pennsylvania, just at harvest time, was the consequence.

Those who give credence to the reported invasion, present the fact that the power of the rebellion is fast waning, and the only hope the Rebels have is centered in Lee's army. When Charleston falls, as it undoubtedly will, and Rosecrans and Burnside have driven the Rebels army out of East Tennessee, the situation of Lee will become critical, because of his supplies being cut off to a great extent, and his connection with the Southwest severed. Beauregard and Bragg will then be relieved of watching the points now held by them, and will be thrown to Lee, thus giving him a large army to subsist and a powerful army with which to make a forward movement. This army cannot be subsisted in the small portion of the Confederacy which will be left to it, and it will, of necessity, be compelled to make an effort to reach the fertile valleys and well filled barns and storehouses of Maryland and Pennsylvania. The inducements and necessities are twofold greater at this time than ever they have been heretofore, and, as we have before stated, the attempt to reach the tempting bait will be made, unless something be done to counteract it. Lee knows that Meade's army is being filled up by the conscription, and he will make the move before the new men can be made effective, if he moves at all. We are not alarmists. We have presented nothing but what is plausible, and all we desire is that people rightly view the matter and be prepared to act promptly and in time.—We do not want to be found napping when the Rebel fox calls again to feast upon what he left in the valley in June last, nor do we want to find persons throwing impediments in the way of those who would save the State from the ravages of an invading army.

We have no doubt that, should Gov. Curtin take time by the forelock, and at once commence preparations to successfully prevent a repetition of the scenes enacted in the Cumberland Valley, in June last, the movement would be characterized as political and unnecessary, by those who care more for party than for country.—Such were the charges last fall, and again in June last, and such would be the charges of politicians again, even though the devastation of the State should be the result. We hope we may be mistaken in the foreshadowed intentions of the Rebels, but at the same time we hope Gov. Curtin will not be overawed by any clamor which may be raised by his political opponents to deter him from doing his duty in the way of protecting the State from invasion.

From South America.—From Saturday's dailies we learn that a number of prominent Mexicans, as well as representatives of the South American Republics, have invited President Juarez to form a continental alliance for the purpose of resisting foreign encroachments, and it is understood that the United States will be invited to send delegates to co-operate. Should a coalition of this kind be formed, Napoleon would find himself in a tight place. The United State could have nothing to loose by entering into such an arragement, and it might be the means of preventing the covetous Emperor of the French from attempting further liberties on this continent.

Maine Election.—The returns from the election held in Maine on Monday last indicate the electon of the Union ticket by largely increased majorities over that of last year.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ A Western paper having run short of copy has taken to publishing a revised and corrected edition of the Gospel of St. Luke.

☞ Eighty National banks, with an aggregate capital of $10,340,000 have already been authorized to commence operations.

☞ Returing—the "shakes" along the Juniata. We have heard of more fever and ague this fall than for three or four years past.

☞ By the occupancy of Cumming's Point Gen. Gilmore's Parrot guns are now one mile nearer to Charleston than when he threw the Greek fire therein.

☞ Ohio does not escape the draft, as has been reported. Recruiting having failed to fill up the quota of the State, a draft for 12,000 men has been ordered, to commence in Cincinnati to-day.

☞ A Western editor was lately shot in an affray. Luckily the ball came again a bill of unpaid accounts in his pocket. Gunpowder couldn't get through that.

☞ The President has received the resignation of General Burnside, but refuses to accept it, and requests him to remain in command in East Tennessee, which he has liberated form rebel control.

A Folly Vetoed.—It is reported that a well-known General in the Army of the Potomac had made arrangements to give a grand ball and feast at his headquarters, when a stop was put to the affair by an order from the Commanding General, in which it was stated that the only *balls* recognized in that army were *cannon balls*.

☞ All the United States troops, except the Provost Guard, have been ordered from Indiana to the field. As the 2d battalion of the 63d Regt. was returning from Terre Haute, on Saturday last, an attempt was made to hang Hon. Daniel Voorhees, who was on the train. He was rescued by the officers but compelled to leave the train.

☞ The report of Adjutant General Abb, of Indiana, has been received at the War Department, and does credit to the loyalty and patriotism of Indiana; 28,000 men were furnished for the war in excess of the quota. The apportionment for draft amounted to 26,812 still leaving an excess of 1,669. Consequently there will be no draft in that State.

Brownlow's Rebel Ventilator.—I propose to publish a weekly and tri-weekly journal, bearing the above title, at Knoxville, in East Tennessee: and the weekly paper, made up from the contents of the tri-weeklies, I propose to send out to distant subscribers, for *Two Dollars* per annum *invariably paid in advance*. Subscriptions and remittances will be forwarded to me at Cincinnati, from which point I expect to ship my paper and materials. I expect to issue the first number in October, as it was in that month, two years ago, my paper was crushed out by the God-forsaken mob at Knoxville, called the *Confederate Authorities*. I will commence with this hell-born and hell-bound rebellion, where the traitors forced me to leave off, and all who wish the paper would do well to begin with the first issue, as I intend that single paper shall be worth the subscription price to any unconditional Union man!

In the rule of my editorial conduct, I shall abjure the severity which destroys the independence of the press, and cast from me that factious opposition which gives to *party* what is due to *country*. And whilst the name of my journal indicates, in unmis akable terms, its politics, I shall, as a faithful sentinel, forget Whigs, Democrats, Know Nothings, and Republicans, and remember only my Government, and the preservation of the Federal Union—as richly worth all the sacrifices of blood and treasure their preservation may cost—even to the *extermination* of the present race of men, and the consumption of all the means of the present age!

Publishers inserting this prospectus once, prominently, and sending me the paper to Cincinnati, will be favored with an exchange.

Sept. 7, 1863. W. G. BROWNLOW.

FROM CHARLESTON.

The Whole of Morris Island Occupied.

The correspondent of the Philadelphia *Inquirer*, under date of the 7th inst., gives the following account of the capture of Fort Wagner and Battery Gregg, and the consequent occupation of the whole of Morris Island:

During the whole of Saturday night our mortars in the fifth parallel continued to shower their shells into our fort, against which the fire of two heavy Parrott rifles was also directed. The range in the night was easily obtained by the aid of a calcium light, which, located in the second parallel, threw upon the beleaguered work an illumination of wonderful brilliancy. The bombardment during the night presented a scene unequalled in interest and grandeur since the siege began. All night our shells were weaving through the air their skeins of fire, following each other in graceful curves like a guggler's marvellous spheres, and exploding in rapid succession within the fort.—They were sufficient to deter the garrison from any attempts to repair the damage occasioned during the day, while all relief was cut off by the presence of a strong picket force, which Major Sandford, of the Seventh Connecticut, had taken in boats around through Vincent's creek, to the left of Wagner and between that work and Battery Gregg.

At daylight on Sunday the fire of all our batteries was resumed. As on the previous day, there was no response from Wagner or Gregg; but the works on James and Sullivan's islands were, if anything, more actively engaged in their endeavors to annoy us. Our sappers during this time were making fine headway. So long as the artillery fire of Wagner continued to play upon them their work was necessarily perilous and slow; but with this fire subdued they advanced on the first day of the bombardment about forty yards, and yesterday dispensed altogether with the use of the sap roller.

But, though Wagner was quiet, those in the trenches were not wholly free from danger. They were so close to the fort that our shells occasionally annoyed them. At the head of the sap a small American flag was planted, indicating to the New Ironsides and the monitors the point of our advance, behind which they were not to fire; but, the missiles of these vessels coming now and then in too close proximity, the ensign was moved ahead about fifty yards, and the sappers returned to gradually dig their way up to it. At night they had dug through the counter scarp, on the sea front, getting past the guns, and establishing a covered way to a point from which an assaulting column could have leaped, almost at a single bound, to the parapet, or debouched upon the beach past the fort, and attacked it in the rear, without serious exposure.

While our men were working in the trenches yesterday other dangers than those above mentioned threatened them. Though great care was taken to avoid or remove the to pedoes which the enemy had planted before the fort, one or two of these machines exploded. One soldier of the Engineer regiment was blown thirty feet into the air, and two of the Fifty-fourth Massachusetts rigiment were seriously if not fatally injured, by accidently coming in contact with these inhuman inventions. Meanwhile the bolts and shells rained from all our batteries. Faster than they could be counted our missiles went tearing against the parapet and bomb-proof, sending up such clouds of sand and earth as nearly to eclipse our view of the work. All its sharp points we knocked away. Every outline had been disturbed. There was no regularity of feature about it. The bomb-proof had been nearly unroofed, and great masses of sand slid down like avalanches, falling at the entrance and shutting out from the terified occupants all light and ventilation. The traverses which connected this structure with the parapet of the seaward face were torn away, and the arches beneath them filled up with the debris. Every one who looked upon the stronghold yesterday, while our fire was so furiously battering it to ruins, felt that we would hold it without difficult on the morrow.

The correspondent here gives Gen. Gilmore's order for an assault on Fort Wagner on Saturday evening, detailing the plan of attack, which we deem it needless to publish, inasmuch as information received shortly afterwards rendered it unnecessary. The correspondent, speaking of the troops taking their positions to obey orders, says:—

They had barely arrived when a deserter from the Rebel lines came in, bringing the news that the island was being evacuated. We had depended upon our picket boats in Vincents Creek, under Major Sandford, to keep us advised of any movement of this kind on the part of the enemy; but it appears that the state of the tide would not allow them to get through until some time after the withdrawal of the Rebel garrison had commenced.

As soon as the story of the deserter could be told General Stevenson sent forward a small scouting party to ascertain its truth. They speedily returned and corroborated the news, and our forces immediately leaped into the fort, Captains Walker and Pratt, in charge of the sappers, planting their flag upon the parapet. A slow match connecting with the magazine was discoverd and extinguished.

Captain Brayton, of the Third Rhode Island Artillery, was the first man there. A few men of the Forty-fou th Massachusetts were close behind him, and then came two companies of the Third New Hampshire Regiment, under Captain Randlett.

They arrived in season to capture between forty and fifty stragglers, mostly from South Carolina regiments, while Major Sanford, who, as soon as the tide served, had got his picket boats through the marsh, succeeded in overhauling a couple of boats containing a Lieutenant and twenty-two men of the Rebel iron-clad steamer Chicora, who had been assisting the garrison in their escape.

The scene which presents itself to the eye of a visitor at Fort Wagner this morning is one of utter wreck and ruin. The broken parrapets, the dismounted guns, the sand piled up before the entrance of the bomb-proof, the bolts and fragments of exploded shells with which the terreplein is paved, and, more than all, the heaps of Rebels slain, some lying in the sun and others half buried in the loose sand, show what a fearful ordeal the garrison passed through. The stench arising from the decaying dead is sickening and overpowering.—Many were buried at night, just below the terreplein, to be unearthed and torn to pieces by the missiles which on the following day continued to plough through the work. Here an arm sticks stiffly out of the ground, and there a shoeless foot is visible, while in another corner are three bodies, one clad in a Major's uniform, laid carefully aside for burial, but left in the hurry of departure for us to put away.

Existence must have been terrible while the bombardment was going on. Even now the odor of the apartment is almost intolerable. The garrison, which consisted of fourteen hundred men, was here huddled like sheep in a fold, without sunshine to illumine or air to breathe. The ceiling, formed of huge logs, is so low as scarcely to afford standing room. Dead bodies are scattered here and there contributing the effluvia to the horrid stench arising from the accumulation of human filth and nastiness. I could only remain for a moment in the place. Officers and soldiers who enter it flee hurridly away as from a plague or pestilence. The only furniture of the room was a table made of rough boards. One or two rough coffins were there, whether empty or not I did not endeavor to ascertain. A row of shelves on either side of the main entrance contained a number of shot and shell of various calibres. The floor was strewn with papers, old rags, pieces of greasy bacon and other filth which, in ordinary camps, finds its way to the skins. Until disinfectants are freely used and the work thoroughly policed, it will be impossible for our men to remain there. Already General Tarry has ordered the men out of the fort, and forty barrels of chloride of lime are on their way up the beach to be employed in making the atmosphere of the place in some degree holesome.

Beyond Fort Wagner the ground seems to have been used as a place of burial for many who fell in defense of the place. There are a number of graves just in the rear of the banquets.—Here also are several dead horses and mules, filled with noxious gases, and attracting to the spot myriads on myriads of flies. A little further on are several holes dug in the sand for shelter to the troops, those stationed without the fort living very much like the fiddlers and sanderabs with which the ground is thronged.

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We have reason to suppose that the members of the late firm of Messrs. I. M. Singer & Co., are deeply interested in their behalf.

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In conclusion, we repeat that The Singer Manufacturing Company are worthy of all confidence, esteem and patronage. They will be sure to receive what they shall merit, under the management of their able President, and we are among those who wish them all that fortune and happiness can bestow.

Ovation to Union Troops in Knoxville.

A dispatch to the Cincinnati *Gazette*, dated Knoxville, Tenn., September 6th, says:—The great campaign of the war is over. We are in possession of East Tennessee, after a great bloodless victory. The campaign was skillfully planned and energetically executed. Such were the rapidity of our movements that the rebels were taken unawares, and fled before us without destroying any property. At Loudon they attempted to hold the bridge, but the impetuosity of the 2d Tennessee regiment broke them to fragments. Three steamboats, three locomotives, and a large number of cars were captured there. The whole march of our army was a perfect ovation, and our entry into Knoxville is an event long to be remembered.—Thousands of people, of every age, sex, color and condition, lined the way with shouts and tears, intermingled with martial music, and joy reigned supreme.

General Burnside addressed the soldiers and people, and assured them of protection, and that while justice should be dealt, revenge was no part of the policy of the Government. General Carter also spoke in touching terms of their sufferings, and announced its termination. Colonel Saunders was called out amid shouts of welcome. Colonel Gilbert has been appointed Military Governor and General Carter Provost Marshal General of East Tennessee.

A second dispatch says that our right wing is within easy reach of Rosecrans' left. The rebels regarded our expedition as a raid until the last moment. The march of two hundred and fifty miles was a hard one, but made in good order.—The trains were all up in good space.

Union Sentiment Increasing.—The latest received Raleigh (N. C.) *Standard* is full of the proceedings of the peace meetings from different counties, which fearlessly indorse the course of the *Standard*. A private letter received from a staunch Unionist in Raleigh, says that the feeling in North Carolina was against tyranny and Richmond oligarchy. Intense peace meetings are frequent in the Eastern and Southern section of the State, and Union men who had heretofore been silent, are becoming bold and presistent in their demand for peace. What the State desires—Peace first and negotiation afterwards. It is expected that Gov. Vance's next message to the State Legislature will widen the breach between the State and the Richmond government. Gov. Vance's friends say he will recall all the North Carolina troops serving in the rebel army. The position assumed by the Raleigh *Standard* in favor of peace, meets with general commendation.

☞ The New York Times special says the rebels are reported to have six vessels of war at Richmond. Some are known to be clad with railroad iron, and modeled like the Merrimac. Gen. Gilmore is promoted to a Major of Engineers in the regular army.

Prices at Richmond.—A lady who arrived on Saturday from Richmond, says that bacon has advanced to $2,50 per pound and sugar to $2.—Both are now considered luxuries and totally beyond the reach of the poorer classes. She paid $4,000 in Confederate notes for $325 in gold.

☞ Jim Lane is after Quantrell's guerrillas and if the people of Kansas are let alone they will soon rid that country of that kind of vermin.

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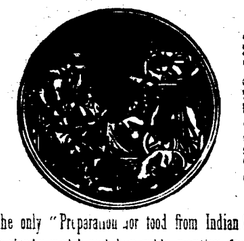

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Resolved, That the second instalment of 10 per cent. on the stock subscribed for, be made payable on the 20th day of the present month. (May and that the balance of the subscription be made payable in monthly instalment of 10 per cent each, on the 15th day of each succeeding month, until the whole amount is paid in.

Persons wishing to take stock in the company can still be accommodated, there being a few shares yet unsold.

Altoona, May 19th -tf. B F. ROSE, *Treasurer*.

STRAY COW.—STRAYED AWAY from the residence of the subscriber, in Logan township one mile above Altoona, on the 29th of August, one COW, light red color, a white spot on the forehead, one horn lower than the other, a little hip-shot.

A liberal reward will be given for any information, so that I can get her again. WILLIAM AYRES.

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The Philadelphians departed for home in the evening train, highly gratified with the hospitalities they had received, and especially pleased with the result of their first visit to Altoona.

The following are the names of the players and their positions and the score of the game of Friday:

ATHLETIC.	O	R	MOUNTAIN.	O	R
Kleinfelder C	4	8	E. P. Miller C	1	3
Malone P	3	9	Hunt P	4	2
Paul 2 B	4	8	Hutchinson R F	2	4
Smith 1 B	4	8	Kitchell 1 B	5	1
Gratz 3 B	2	9	Darlington 2 B	2	3
McBride S S	2	8	Pettitt S S	5	1
Gaskill L F	3	8	Gemmell C F	3	3
Hayhurst C F	3	6	C. Miller 3 B	0	5
Prendergast R F	2	9	Riley L F	5	0
	27	78		27	22

INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Athletic, - - -	3	14	12	1	15	23	0	2	3	—73
Mountain, - -	3	2	0	1	5	2	3	6	0	—22

Umpire—H. H. Houpt, of the Merchantile Club, of Philadelphia.

Scorers—Messrs. Bell and Dr. Gemmill.

Passed Balls—Miller 7, Kleinfelder 8.

Home Runs—McBride 2, Malone 1, Smith 1, Gratz 1, Gaskill 1, Hayhurst 1, Prendergast 1; total 8.

Put Out on Foul Balls—Athletic 5 times, Mountain 7 times.

Put Out at First Base—Athletics 5 times, Mountain 7 times.

Struck Out—Pettit 1, Reilly 1.

Fly Catches Made—E. P. Miller 4, Pettitt 3, Darlington 1, Hutchinson 1; total 9. Kleinfelder 1, McBride 3, Paul 1, Hayhurst 1, Malone 1, Gaskill 1; total 8.

Catches Missed—Kleinfelder 1, Gratz 1, Paul 1, Hayhurst 1, Smith 1, E. P. Miller 2, Gemmell 1.

Left on Bases—Gratz 1, McBride 1, Hayhurst 2, E. P. Miller 2, Darlington 1.

Time of Game—Four hours and forty minutes.

COUNCIL MEETING.—Regular meeting of Council Sept. 7th, 1863. Present, John McClelland, N. J. Mervine, Jacob Hesser and James Kearney.

Minutes read and approved.

The Supervisor presented his report of labor on streets amounting to $116,42.

On motion, orders were granted as follows:—to W. W. Snyder, $36,00; James Woods, $25,58; John Dalton, $24,48; James Wilson, $26,13; John Haney, $3,85.

On motion, an order was granted to Philip Dempsey for hauling and stone, amounting to $98,10.

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On motion, an order was granted Messrs. John Elliott & Co. for $99,24 for bill of lumber.

On motion, an order was granted P. R. R. Co. for $10,85 for bill of freight on lumber.

On motion, an order was granted to James Hooper for $10,06 for bill of blacksmithing.

On motion, an order was granted to Philip Dempsey for $100,00 on account of filling Allegheny street, North Ward.

On motion, the President of Council was instructed to procure a desk for use of Council.

J. McCLELLAND, Pres't.

Attest, W. B. KETLER, Sec'y.

A. M. L. & R. R. A.—The board of directors of the Altoona Mechanic's Library and Reading Room Association met September 7th. Members present, Lamborn, Reilly, Savory, Riebenack, Adlum, Keller, Mann, Irons and Elder.

The resignation of George W. Grier, as Librarian, was accepted and Mr. Isaac Worrell was appointed to fill the office until the next regular meeting of the board.

The following gentlemen were elected active members of the Association, Messrs. Wm. Black, James Henry, W. H. Moore and Fred G. Thorne.

The Treasurer presented a bill of H. Fettinger's amounting to $10,35 which was referred to the committee on Bills and Accounts.

On motion, a vote of thanks was tendered to C. R. McCrea, Esq., for presenting to the Association some valuable documents.

On motion, adjourned.

E. ELDER, Rec. Sec'y.

Proposed amendment to the Constitution.

Resolved, That the first sentence of Section 3d, Art. XVII of the Constitution be altered to read. Five of their number shall constitute a quorum.

ENTERPRISE.—It is seldom that spirited enterprise fails to meet with a suitable reward. If a business man would succeed, he must cater to the wants of the public and bring before his customers even those things which they do not know that they need. He must anticipate their wants. Fries, the enterprising hardware merchant, up Virginia street, understands this part of his business. There are numberless little things, and some big ones, in his line that people do not know they need until they see them on his shelves or in his show case, and then they discover that they are exactly what they needed this long time.—Well, Fries has now a full assortment of every style of hardware, wooden and willow ware, bird cages, etc., together with a fine assortment of guns, pistols, powderhorns, shot-pouches, gamebags and sporting fixings generally. Such an establishment must be well patronized in this place. Go to Fries' and examing his Colts revolving shot-guns.

UNION MEETING.—By reference to an adver in another column it will be seen that the Union party contemplate holding a grand mass meeting in this place, on Friday evening next, to be addressed by a number of the most eloqnent speakers in the State, among whom appears the name of Daniel Dougherty, Esq., of Philadelphia, familiarly known as "Dan Dougherty," and heretofore styled "the silver trumpet of Democracy." Having embraced the Union cause, he is now stumping the State for Curtin. All the speakers named may not be in attendance, but sufficient of them will be on hand to take up all the time and entertain the audience in the right style. As these men are the exponents of the principles held by one of the great parties to the present political contest, let them be heard by all.

PRESENT YOUR CLAIMS.—Under the head of Special Order No. 88, Gen. Couch gives notice that Capt. J. G. Johnson, A. Q. M., will be at Altoona from the 15th to the 20th of September, and that all persons in this county having just claims against the United States Government, for supplies and transportation furnished the United States forces during the recent rebel invasion, and the organized militia forces called out by the proclamation of the Governor of the State, dated June 16th, 1863, will present them to him for settlement. See advertisement in another column.

BLAIR COUNTY MAN KILLED.—The Rev. Mr. Snyder, widely know through the Western part of this State as "big Snyder," and formerly Presiding Elder of the United Brethren Church, in this county, was deliberately shot in some ruffians in Kansas, about the time of the Lawrence massacre. The three fiends who were dispatched to kill him, found him before his door milking his cow and, not knowing him, asked him if he were the owner of that horse. He answered them affirmatively, when they drew their pistols and fired, the three balls passed through his body, killing him on the spot. He was a most worthy man, and highly esteemed by all who knew him.

IMPORTANT DECISION.—On Saturday last, the following importan decision of Judge Holt was issued by the Provost Marshal General:

"Under the thirteenth section of the enrollment act, it is clear that a party drafted and wishing to furnish a substitute or pay the commutation, must do so on or before the day fixed for his appearance. The privilage expires with that day.

"If he fails to report himself and is arrested as a deserter, he has still the right to go before the Board of Enrollment, and prove that he is not liable to do military duty; but if, on hearing his claim to exemption he is held to be liable, he cannot escape personal service. He is also, under such circumstances, subject to be proceeded against as a deserter.

REWARD OFFERED.—Frederick Beck, the jeweler, whom we noticed last week as being robbed of a considerable amount of watches and jewelry, offers a reward of $50 for the apprehension of the robber and return of the property.

Assembly.

For the information of the voting population of Blair county, I announce that I have been solicited by quite a number of citizens of the county to consent to the publication of my name as an INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE for the office of Assemblyman from this county. I have, after due consideration, concluded to yield to the wishes of my friends and announce myself as a candidate for the office named, hoping that I may receive a handsome and honorable vote from the citizens of Blair.

ISAAC BARTOW.

Altoona, Aug. 19, 1863.

New Goods,

KERR has just received a very handsome lot of new fall goods, which will be sold AT PRICES DEFYING COMPETITION.

Those requiring anything in his line will SAVE CASH by calling soon, as goods will positively be much higher before long.

The newly arrived stock consists of Shirting Flannel, Delaines, Balm'l Skirts. Satinetts, Cassimeres, Prints, Cloaking Cloths, Tweeds, Check, Brown Muslin, Jeans, Ticking. Bleached Muslin, &c

Call and get a bargain before the goods are all disposed of.

His stock of Groceries is complete, and the attention of the public is directed to the fact that he is selling the BEST RIO COFFEE AT 33 CENTS per pound. SYRUPS from 50 to 75 cts per gallon, and all other goods in proportion.

Altoona, Sept 16th, 1863.

FRIENDS of the UNION
RALLY! RALLY!

The loyal men of Blair county are requested to assemble in

MASS MEETING,

AT

ALTOONA,

ON

Friday Even'g, Sept. 18th,

AT 7 O'CLOCK,

to ratify the nomination of

CURTIN AND AGNEW,

and to declare their determination to sustain the constituted authorities of the Government, now and hereafter, in all measures adopted and prosecuted by them for the suppression of the rebellion, without compromise with traitors, as the only means of securing an honorable and lasting peace.

The meeting will be addressed by Gov. A. G. CURTIN, Hons. P. C. SHANNON and WM. D. KELLY, Ex-Gov. W. F. JOHNSTON, DANIEL DOUGHERTY and H. N. McALISTER, Esqrs.

Take no more unpleasant Medicines.
For unpleasant and dangerous diseases, use
HEMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU,
Which has received the endorsement of the most
PROMINENT PHYSICIANS IN THE U. S.
Is now offered to afflicted humanity as a certain cure for the following diseases and symptoms originating from diseases and abuse of the Urinary and Sexual Organs
General Debility,
Mental and Physical Depression,
Imbecility,
Determination of Blood to the Head,
Confused Ideas,
Hysteria,
General Irritability,
Restlessness and Sleeplessness at night,
Absence of Muscular Efficiency,
Loss of Appetite,
Emaciation,
Low Spirits,
Disorganization or Paralysis of the Organs of Generation,
Palpitation of the Heart,
And, in fact, all the concomitants of a Nervous and Debilitated state of the System.
To insure the genuine, cut this out.
ASK FOR HEMBOLD'S. TAKE NO OTHER.
CURES GUARANTEED.
See advertisement in another column.
Sept. 16, 1863.

DR. TOBIAS'
VENNETIA LINIMENT.

A certain cure for pains and aches, and warranted superior to any other. Croup it positively cures; relief is absolutely sure immediately after it is used. Mothers remember this, and arm yourselves with a bottle without delay. Croup is a disease which gives no notice, frequently attacking the child in the dead hour of night; before a physician can be summoned it may be too late. Remember, the Venetian Liniment never fails. Price 25 and 50 cents a bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Office, 56 Cortland Street, New York. [Sept 16, 1863—1m.

MAIZENA.

DOUBTLESS many of our friends, after reading the advertisement of Mr. DUNTEN, in another column, will exclaim as we have heard hundreds of times, "what is MAIZENA?"—We might reply, as is often done—it is a first-rate article for making puddings, custards, blanc mange, and dishes of like nature; but that only tells what it is for.

MAIZENA is a preparation made from white Indian corn, (Zea Mays, N. Y. We do not care here to give the process by which it is prepared, as it would take an elaborate article to do it, and, besides, there are some peculiarities about it which the Messrs. Duryea prefer to keep to themselves. After the vast sums spent in advertising, and the money and industry they have expended in perfecting their machinery, they have secured the exclusive right to manufacture it, they intend, and deserve to have some money out of it, and so long as they furnish the article at their present reasonable prices, we presume the public will consent to their doing so.

We have tested the Maizena in our families, and believe the qualities that recommend it to the public favor to be these: It is exceedingly nutritious, we know of nothing more so; it is easily digested, making it an excellent dish for dyspeptics, with whom it soon becomes a favorite; it is extremely palatable, and adds another to the long list of excellent dishes well adapted to the table of the advocate of mixed diet, the moral vegetarian. For children there is nothing better, and they are usually exceedingly fond of it. And for the sick room, from its palatable and digestible and strengthening qualities, it is invaluable; and we should not forget to mention, what in these days of taxes will be an important item, it is a very economical article of diet.

The ease and dispatch with which it can be prepared will, in the opinion of every good housewife, add much to its value. No further complaints of nothing for supper when a friend happens in, can be made, if a pound of Maizena is in the house. Ten minutes will suffice to prepare a dish fit for anybody. Eaten plain, it is excellent, with a little sugar and cream, first-rate, and with the addition of a little jelly made from currants or other fruits, it is a dish "fit for the gods."

Sept. 9, 1863—6m.

THE SINGER SEWING MACHINES.

THE LETTER A FAMILY SEWING MACHINE is fast gaining a world wide reputation. It is beyond doubt the most useful, cheapest and most beautiful of all Family Sewing Machines yet offered to the public. No other Family Sewing Machine has so many useful appliances for Hemming, Binding, Felling, Tucking, Gathering, Gauging, Braiding, Embroidering, Corning, and so forth. No other Family Sewing Machine has so much capacity for a great variety of work. It will sew all kinds of cloth, and with all kinds of thread. Great and recent improvements make our Family Sewing Machine most reliable, and most durable, and most certain in action at all rates of speed. It makes the interlocked stitch which is the best stitch known. Any one, even of the most ordinary capacity, can see at a glance how to use the letter A Family Sewing Machine. Our Family Sewing Machines are finished in closest and exquisite style.

The folding Case of the Family Machine is a piece of cunning workmanship of the most useful kind. It protects the machine when not in use, and when about to be operated may be opened as a spacious and substantial table to sustain the work. While some of the Cases made out of the choicest woods, are finished in the simplest and chastest manner possible, others are adorned and embellished in the most costly and superb manner.

It is absolutely necessary to see the Family Machine in operation, so as to judge of its great capacity and beauty.

It is fast becoming as popular for family sewing as our Manufacturing Machines are for manufacturing purposes.

The Branch Offices are well supplied with silk, twists, thread, needles, oil &c., of the very best quality.

Send for a PAMPHLET.

THE SINGER MANUFACTURING COMPANY.
458 Broadway, New York
PHILADELPHIA OFFICE, 810 Chestnut St.

Mr. D. W. A. Belford, Merchant Tailor, Virginia Street Agent in Altoona.
Altoona, Nov. 13, 1862. 1-yr

TO THE YOUNG OR OLD.
Male or Female.

If you have been suffering from a habit indulged in by the
YOUTH OF BOTH SEXES.
WHICH CAUSES SO MANY ALARMING SYMPTOMS.
It unfits them for Marriage,
And is the greatest evil which can befall
MAN OR WOMAN.

See symptoms enumerated in advertisement, and if you are a sufferer,
Cut out the Advertisement,
And send for it at once.
Delays are dangerous
Ask for Helmbold's.
Take no other.
Cures guaranteed.
Beware of Counterfeits and Imitations.

A CARD TO THE SUFFERING.

The Rev. Wm. Cosgrove, while laboring as a Missionary in Japan, was cured of Consumption, when all other means had failed, by a recipe obtained from a learned physician in the great city of Jeddo. This recipe has cured great numbers who were suffering from Consumption, Bronchitis, Sore Throat, Coughs and Colds, and the debility and nervous depression caused by these disorders.

Desirous of benefiting others, I will send this recipe, which I have brought home with me, to all who need it, free of charge. Address,

Rev. WM. COSGROVE,
439 Fulton Avenue,
Dec. 23, 1862-1y. Brooklyn, N. Y.

RAIL ROAD AND MAIL SCHEDULE.

TRAINS ARRIVE AND DEPART.

Baltimore Express	West	arrives	6.55 A. M.	leaves	7.15 A. M.
Philad'a	"	"	7.40 "	"	8.00 "
Fast Line	"	"	3.20 P. M.	"	3.35 P. M.
Mail Train	"	"	7.00 "	"	7.15 "
Express Train	East	"	8.40 P. M.,	leaves	9.00 P. M.
Fast Line	"	"	1.10 A. M.	"	1.15 A. M.
Mail Train	"	"	7.40 "	"	8.00 "
Through Accom.	"	"	10.15 "	"	10.25 "

Trains on Hollidaysburg Branch run to connect with Express Trains West, Mail Train East and West and Thro' Accommodation Train East.

Trains on Tyrone & Clearfield Branch and Bald Eagle Valley R. R. run to connect with Express Train West and Mail Train East and West.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Eastern Through	7.40 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.00 P. M
Western Way	10.15 A. M
Western Through	7.40 A. M.
Hollidaysburg	7.30 A. M. & 7.00 P. M

MAILS CLOSE.

Western Way	7.20 A. M.
Eastern Way	7.20 "
Western Through	7.15 P. M.
Eastern Through	7.15 "
Hollidaysburg	7.30 A. M. & 6.45 P. M

OFFICE HOURS:—During the week from 6.45 A. M. until 7.30 P. M. On Sundays from 7.30 until 8.30 A. M.

G. W. PATTON, P. M.

Altoona, April 20, 1863.

MARRIED.

At the Altoona House, Altoona, Pa., on the 8th inst., by the Rev. John H. Cla k, Mr. GEORGE B. RODDY to Miss MAITIE E. EGE both of Perry county, Pa.

Perry county papers please copy.

DIED.

At Elizabeth Furnace, on the 11th inst., KEZIAH STEWART, (wife of Alexander St wart,) aged 45 years, 3 months and 26 days.

At the age of 16 she made a profession of religion and connected herself with the Methodist Church, of which she was a consistent member until the hour of her death—nearly thirty years. She was a kind and dutiful wife, an affectionate mother and a good neighbor. She lived to adorn the profession she had made, and dying, left the evidence that her faith was not vain.

In Altoona, on the 12th inst., MARY A. TROUT, (daughter of John and Sidney L. Trout,) aged 24 years.

$50 REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the apprehension of the person or persons who, on the night of the 4th of September, entered the jewelry store of the undersigned, in Altoona, and carried off between $700 and $800 worth of watches and jewelry.

Sept. 16.—1t. FREDERICK BECK.

STRAY COW.—Came to the residence of the subscriber, residing at Blair Furnace, Logan township, on the 1st of May last, a White and Yellow Cow, about 4 years old, had a calf a few days ago. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away; otherwise she will be disposed of according to law.

Sept. 16, 1863—3t.* EDWARD McGARVY.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration have been issued this day to the undersigned by the Register of Blair county, on the estate of BERNARD GARVIN, late of the Borough of Altoona, deceased. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said Estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same must present them legally authenticated, for settlement.

JAMES GARVIN,
Sept. 16, 1863—3.* Administrator.

LEWISTOWN MILLS,
LEWISTOWN PA.

FLOUR AND FEED OF ALL KINDS always on hand and for sale at the lowest market prices.

Orders by mail will receive our special and prompt attention.

W. B. McATEER & SON,
Sept. 16, 1863 2m. Proprietors.

HEADQUARTERS, DEPARTMENT OF THE SUSQUEHANNA,
CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., Sept. 11, 1863.
SPECIAL ORDER } NO. 88. }

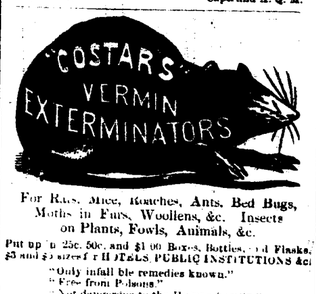
EXTRACT.

3. Persons residing in Bedford, Blair, Fulton, Huntingdon, Mifflin, Juniata, Somerset and Cambria counties, Pennsylvania, having just claims against the United States Government, for supplies and transportation furnished the United States Forces during the recent Rebel invasion, and the organized Militia Forces called out by the Proclamation of the Governor of he State, dated June 16th, 1863, will present them to Captain J. G. Johnson, A. Q. M., at Altoona, Bloody Run, Bedford, Huntingdon, Mount Union, Hollidaysburg and Johnstown, Pennsylvania for settlement.

By command of Maj. Gen. Couch.
JNO. S. SCHULTZE,
Assistant Adjutant Gen'al.

In compliance with the above order, I will be at
ALTOONA from the 15th to the 20th of September.
At BLOODY RUN from the 20th to the 25th of September.
At BEDFORD from the 25th to the 30th of September.
At HUNTINGDON and MOUNT UNION from the 5th to the 10th of October.
At HOLLIDAYSBURG from the 10th to the 15th of October.
And at JOHNSTOWN from the 15th to the 20th of October.

J. G JOHNSON,
Sept. 16-1t Capt. and A. Q. M.



For Rats, Mice, Roaches, Ants, Bed Bugs, Moths in Furs, Woollens, &c. Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.

Put up in 25c. 50c. and $1 00 Boxes, Bottles, and Flasks, $5 and $10 sizes for HOTELS, PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS &c.

"Only infallible remedies known."
"Free from Poisons."
"Not dangerous to the Human Family."
"Rats come out of their holes to die."

Sold Wholesale in all large cities.
Sold by all DRUGGIST and RETAILERS everywhere.
BEWARE! of all worthless imitations.
See that "COSTAR'S" name is on each Box, Bottle and Flask, before you buy.
Address HENRY R. COSTAR.
Principal Depot 482 Broadway, N. Y.
Sold by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona, Pa.
April 7, 1863.—6m.*

LARGE SIZE
PHOTOGRAPHS
AND
AMBROTYPES,
Gilt and Rosewood Frames,
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS,
CARTES-DE-VISITES,
ALL STYLES AND SIZES OF
CASES, &C.,
CLABAUGH'S BUILDING,
Julia Street, between Virginia and Emma,
ALTOONA, PA.
ELIAS A. BONINE.
Aug. 4, '63-3m.

JOIN THE
CAVALRY!!!
NOW IS THE TIME TO ENLIST!

Don't wait to be notified that you are drafted!

Do not wait for the next draft, but volunteer at once!

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS BEEN authorized to recruit a
CAVALRY COMPANY,
to be attached to the 18th Penn'a cavalry.

Men are wanted immediately to fill up the company. Enlist where you have a chance in the selection of your officers, and a fair chance for promotion.

Capt. JAS. M. BELL.
ALTOONA, August 24, 1863.

NEW FIRM.
HENRY TUCK. DAVID ETTINGER.

THE SUBSCRIBERS BEG LEAVE to inform the public that they have entered into copartnership in the
CLOTHING BUSINESS,
and will continue at the stand heretofore occupied by Hench, on Main Street, a few doors above the Exchange Hotel Altoona.

They buy also wholesale and retail store at
No 702 Market Street, Philadelphia,
where they will sell all kinds of ready-made clothing and gents furnishing goods at the very lowest prices.

They will be enabled to sell cheaper than many others from the fact that they manufacture their own goods, and thus save the manufacturers per centage, and all clothing will be warranted well made.

Aug. 4, 1863-tf

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE

The subscriber offers at Private Sale a valuable property, situate on Branch st., East Altoona, immediately opposite the Machine Shops.

The house is well built and nearly new and contains
Fifteen Rooms with Good Cellars.

It is calculated for THREE FAMILIES, and at the most reasonable terms will bring $30 per month rent. There is a well of good water in the yard. Terms easy.

Apply to MICHAEL WYKOUGH, on the premises, or to JAMES KEARNEY, at his store, in East Altoona.
July 26, 1863-tf.

SUPERIOR STOCK OF LIQUORS.—JOHN H FRITCHEY is now able to offer to his customers and the public at large, a stock of the purest liquors ever brought into this market, comprising in part the following varieties

WHISKY—IRISH, SCOTCH, OLD BOURBON.
WINE—PORT, SHERRY, OLD MADEIRA.
OTARD, DUPEY & CO. PALE BRANDY.

These liquors can all be warranted; and in addition to these, FRITCHEY has on hand a large variety of Wines, Whisky and Brandy, to which they invite the particular attention of the public.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

10 BARRELS PURE CIDER VINEGAR just received and for sale low at
Sept. 1, 1863. FRITCHEY'S.

SUPERIOR CREAM CHEESE AT FRITCHEY'S.

4 BARRELS PURE WHITE LARD just received and for sale at FRITCHEY'S

HELMBOLD'S
GENUINE
PREPARATIONS

"HIGHLY CONCENTRATED"
COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT BUCHU,
A Positive and Specific Remedy
For Diseases of the BLADDER, KIDNEYS, GRAVEL AND DROPSICAL SWELLINGS.

This Medicine increases the power of Digestion, and excites the ABSORBENTS into healthy action, by which the WATERY OR CALCAREOUS depositions, and all UNNATURAL ENLARGEMENTS, are reduced, as well as PAIN AND INFLAMMATION, and is good for MEN OR CHILDREN.

HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU.

For weakness arising from Excesses, Habits of Dissipation, Early Indiscretion or Abuse.

ATTENDED WITH THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS:

Indisposition to Exertion,	Difficulty of Breathing.
Loss of Memory	Loss of Power,
Weak Nerves,	Trembling,
Horror of Disease,	Wakefulness,
Dimness of Vision,	Pain in the Back,
Universal Lassitude of the Muscular System,	
Hot Hands,	Flushing of the Body,
Dryness of the Skin,	Eruptions of the Face,

PALLID COUNTENANCE.

These symptoms, if allowed to go on, which this medicine invariably removes, soon follows IMPOTENCY, PATURIT EPILEPTIC FITS, in one of which the patient may expire.

Who can say that they are not frequently followed by these "DIREFUL DISEASES."

"INSANITY AND CONSUMPTION."

Many are aware of the cause of their suffering,
BUT NONE WILL CONFESS,
THE RECORDS OF THE INSANE ASYLUMS,
And the melancholy Deaths by Consumption bear ample witness to the truth of the assertion.

THE CONSTITUTION ONCE AFFECTED WITH ORGANIC WEAKNESS,

Requires the aid of medicine to strengthen and invigorate the System, which HELMBOLD'S EXTRACT BUCHU invariably does. A trial will convince the most skeptical

FEMALES! FEMALES!!

OLD OR YOUNG, SINGLE, MARRIED OR CONTEMPLATING MARRIAGE.

In many affections peculiar to Females, the EXTRACT BUCHU is unequaled by any other remedy, as in Chlorosis or Retention, Irregularity, Unfulness or Suppression of Customary Evacuations, Ulcerated or Scirrhous state of the Uterus, Leucorrhœa or Whites, Sterility, and for all complaints incident to the sex, whether arising from indiscretion, Habits of Dissipation, or in the

DECLINE OR CHANGE OF LIFE.
SEE SYMPTO

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the following amendments be proposed to the Constitution of the Commonwealth, in accordance with the provisions of the tenth article thereof:

There shall be an additional section to the third article of the Constitution, to be designated as section four, as follows:

SECTION 4. Whenever any of the qualified electors of this Commonwealth shall be in any actual military service under a requisition from the President of the United States, or by authority of this Commonwealth, such electors may exercise the right of suffrage in all elections by the citizens, under such regulations as are, or shall be, prescribed by law, as fully as if they were present at their usual place of election.

There shall be two additional sections to the eleventh article of the Constitution, to be designated as sections eight and nine, as follows:

SECTION 8. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature, containing more than one subject, which shall be clearly expressed in the title, except appropriation bills.

SECTION 9. No bill shall be passed by the Legislature granting any powers, or privileges, in any case, where the authority to grant such powers, or privileges, has been, or may hereafter be, conferred upon the courts of this Commonwealth.

JOHN CESSNA,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
JOHN P. PENNEY,
Speaker of the Senate.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE COMMONWEALTH, HARRISBURG, July 1st, 1863.

PENNSYLVANIA SS.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing and annexed is a full, true and correct copy of the original Joint Resolution of the General Assembly, entitled "A Joint Resolution proposing certain Amendments to the Constitution," as the same remains on file in this office.

SEAL

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused the seal of the Secretary's office to be affixed, the day and year above written.

ELI SLIFER,
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

July 7, 1863.—4t.

THE UNION FOREVER!

GOOD NEWS!

GODFREY WOLF would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a

CLOTHING STORE,
On Corner of Main and Caroline Streets,

where he will keep on hand a large stock of ready-made clothing consisting of DRESS COATS, PANTALOONS, VESTS, OVERALLS, KNIT JACKETS, &c., at Philadelphia prices.

HATS & CAPS!

I have a large and varied stock of hats and caps which it will be to the advantage of all to examine before purchasing elsewhere. Also, a fine stock of Gents' Furnishing goods, such as shirts, collars, neck-ties, handkerchiefs, Suspenders, Gloves, Hosiery, &c.

Determined to sell, I have marked my goods at the very lowest figures, and feel confident that all will be satisfied with the price and quality of my stock.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

THE Early Physical Degeneracy of AMERICAN PEOPLE.

JUST PUBLISHED BY DR. A. STONE

Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute.

A Treatise on the Causes of Early Physical decline of American People: the cause of Nervous Debility, Consumption and Marasmus.

This work is one of high moral tone, written in chaste yet thrilling language, and appeals directly to the moral consciousness of ALL PARENTS and Guardians especially, detailing scientific and reliable aids and treatment for cure.

It will be sent by mail on the receipt of two (3 cent) Stamps.

☞ Parents and Guardians! Fail not to send and obtain this book.

☞ Young men! Fail not to send and get this book.

☞ Ladies! You too should at once secure a copy of this book.

A Word of Solemn Conscientious Advice to those who will reflect.

A class of maladies prevail to a fearful extent in the community, dooming at least 100,000 youth of both sexes annually to an early grave. Those diseases are very imperfectly understood. Their external manifestation, or symptoms are Nervous Debility, Relaxation and Exhaustion; Marasmus or wasting and consumption of the tissues of the whole body; shortness of breathing or hurried breathing on ascending a hill or flight of stairs; great palpitation of the Heart; Asthma, Bronchitis and sore Throat; shaking of the Hands and limbs; aversion to society and to business or study; dimness of eye sight, loss of Memory, dizziness of the Head, Neuralgia, Pain in various parts of the body; Pains in the back or limbs, Lumbago, Dyspepsia or Indigestion, irregularity of the bowels deranged secretions of the Kidneys and other glands of the body, as Leucorrhœa or Fleur Albus, &c. Likewise Epilepsy, Hysteria and Nervous Spasms.

Now in ninety-nine cases out of every one hundred, all of the above named disorders, and a host of others not named, as Consumption of the Lungs and that most insidious and wily form of consumption of the Spinal Nerves, known as Tabes Dorsalis, and Tabes mesenterica have their seat and origin in diseases of the Pelvic Viscera. Hence the want of success on the part of old school practice in treating symptoms only.

Dr. Andrew Stone, physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institution, is now engaged in treating this class of modern maladies with the most astonishing success. The treatment adopted by the Institution is new; it is based upon scientific principles, with new discov ered remedies; without minerals or poisons. The facilities of cure are such that patients can be cured at their homes, in any part of the country, from accurate descriptions of their cases, by letter; and have the medicines sent by Mail or Express. Printed interrogatories will be forwarded on application.

☞ Consumption, Catarrh and diseases of the throat cured as well at the Home of the Patients as at the Institution, by sending the Cold Medicated INHALING BALSAMIC VAPORS, with inhaler and ample directions for their use and direct correspondence.

☞ Patients applying for interrogatives or advice, must enclose return stamps, to meet attention.

☞ The consulting Physician will be found at the Institution for consultation, from 9 a. m. to 9 p. m., each day, Sunday in the forenoon.

Address DR. ANDREW STONE.
Physician to the Troy Lung and Hygienic Institute, and Physician for Diseases of the Heart, Throat and Lungs, 95 Fifth Street, Troy, N. Y.

Altoona, Dec. 30th, 1862.—1y.

From the Front!

THE Subscribers would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have just returned from the East with their

SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK OF

HATS & CAPS,
BOOTS & SHOES.

Their stock of HATS & CAPS have been selected with great care, and with the view of suiting all who may favor them with their patronage. Their line of Boots and Shoes is complete.

Their *LADIES' MISSES' and CHILDREN'S SHOES* are of City make, and warranted. Their Balmoral Shoe for Ladies and Misses, are just the thing for wet weather and saving health

Thankful to the public for their very liberal patronage heretofore, they hope to merit a continuance of the same.

Store on *MAIN ST.*, next door to Bowman's Exchange Hotel. SMITH & MANN.

Altoona, May 12, 1863.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INFORM the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that his CONFECTIONERY, NUT and FRUIT STORE, is always supplied with the very best articles to be had, and in great variety. He has also an

ICE CREAM SALOON

attached to his store, in which he will serve up ICE CREAM in the best style during the season.

FRESH BAKED

BREAD, CAKES, & PIES,

always on hand, at reasonable rates.

He is at all times prepared to supply cakes, candies, &c., for pic-nics and other parties. He invites a share of public patronage, believing that he can render full satisfaction to all.

Remember, his store and saloon is on Virginia street, two door's below Patton's Hall.

Altoona, April 28, 1863.—tf. OTTO ROSSI.

WM. S. BITTNER
Dental Surgeon.

OFFICE IN MASONIC TEMPLE, next door to the Post Office.

Dr. B. would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country, that he is prepared to insert

ARTIFICIAL TEETH!

from a single tooth to a full set, in the most superior style,

ON GOLD, SILVER, OR VULCANITE BASE.

It would be to the advantage of all persons desiring artificial teeth, to call at his office before going elsewhere, as their style, cheapness, beauty or durability.

☞ Mr. Bittner will visit Hollidaysburg and vicinity when his services are desired. [Feb. 17, 1863.—tf

NORTH WARD AHEAD!

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

AT OLD PRICES.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESpectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and surrounding country that he has just returned from the east, where he has been selecting his stock of spring and Summer Goods, which for style, quality and, Price cannot be surpassed in this neck of country. His stock is much larger than heretofore, and, as it is quite an object in these war-exciting times for every one to purchase where they can get the BEST article at the LOWEST PRICE, he would say that he can and will sell AS LOW, if not A LITTLE LOWER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE in this place. He wishes all to call and see his stock before purchasing elsewhere, as he feels confident he can offer inducements which will DEFY COMPETITION. His stock consists of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

MEN AND BOYS' SUMMER WEAR,
LADIES' AND MISSES' DRESS SHOES,
MEN AND BOYS' BOOTS AND SHOES,

MEN AND WOMEN'S HOSE, HATS AND CAPS.

Ginghams, Lawns, Bleached and Unbleached Muslins, Dried Peaches and Dried Apples, Plain and Canvassed Hams, &c., &c., &c.

He will sell the AMERICAN PRINTS at		12½ cents.
FAST MADDER COLORS,		10 "
FANCY DELAINES,	from 12½ to 25	"
Fine Bleached MUSLINS yard wide.		12½ "
" " "	⅞ "	10 "
" " "	¾ "	8½ "
Heavy Unbl'ched "	¾ "	12½ "
" " "	⅞ "	12½ "
LAWNS,	8 and 10	"
LADIES' SLIPPERS,	from 8 to 15	"
" Fine, French, Sewed, Heeled BOOTEES.	from 40 to 50	" $1 25
" Pegged		1 00
MEN'S CALF BOOTS,		2 75
" GOAT "		2 50
BOYS' GOAT, (Nos. 4 and 5,)		1 50
MEN AND BOYS' OXFORD TIES, from 75 cents to		1 00
MEN'S CALF MONKEES.		1 00

All sizes of MISSES' & CHILDREN'S SHOES, very low

GROCERIES Rio Coffee at 25 cents, White Sugar 11 and 12½ cents. Brown Sugar from 7 to 10 cts.; Best Honey and Lovering's Syrup, at 60 cts.; Sugar House Molasses, 40 cts.; Baking Molasses, 31 to 40 cts.; together with Cedar and Willow Ware; Flour, Feed, &c., and all other articles of Goods just as low as any other house can sell. Please call and examine my stock before purchasing elsewhere.

J. A. SPRANKLE.
Altoona, May 1, 1862. North Ward.

EMPORIUM OF FASHION!!

Virginia St., Altoona, Pa.

D. W. A. BELFORD, Proprietor.

THE PROPRIETOR OF THE "EMPORIUM OF FASHION" would respectfully announce to the public that he has received a large invoice of

CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES,
VESTINGS,

and a general assortment of

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Collars, Neck-Ties, Suspenders, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, &c., &c., &c.,

exactly suited to this locality and intended for the

AUTUMN AND WINTER TRADE.

The proprietor of the Emporium invites an examination of his stock, feeling confident that his shelves present a greater variety of plain and fancy goods than can be found elsewhere in the country. An examination will convince any one of this fact.

He has also received the

LATEST FASHION,

and being a perfect "Cutter," he has no hesitancy in saying that he can make up clothing in the fashion, and in a manner that can not fail to please satisfactory. It has passed into a proverb that

Belford's the very man that can make,
Clothes in the fashion, strong and cheap;
All that have ever tried him yet,
Say that he really cant be beat.

Remember the place. Virginia street, first door above Taggard's Hall, Altoona, Pa. [April 17, '62.

HARDWARE.

The subscriber having taken entire charge of the Hardware and Stove and Tin Shop recently under the charge of Fries & Winters, on Virginia street, opposite Kessler's Drug Store, and having added largely to his stock is now prepared to supply anything in the Hardware and Cutlery line, such as Handsaws, Axes, Augers, Adzes, Chisels, Squares, Rules, Hammers, Planes, Hinges, Locks, Latches, Files, Knives and Forks, Spoons, &c., &c., all of which he offers on the most reasonable terms.

Persons wishing anything in the Hardware line are requested to call and examine his stock.

He has also added Oils, Paints, Carbon Oil, etc., to his stock, and will dispose of all these articles at a small advance on first cost.

He will also continue the

STOVE BUSINESS,

and will keep on hand an assortment from which any person will be able to select an article to please their fancy in the line of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE,

CEDAR and WILLOW-WARE,

he will always have a large supply, and will make to order anything that may be called for.

Job work in this line promptly attended to.

ROOFING AND SPOUTING

put up on short notice in the best style.

April 21, 1863.—tf. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

HARDWARE!

HARDWARE

CHARLES J. MANN,

DEALER IN FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC HARDWARE.
WOODEN WARE, BROOMS,
WINDOW SHADES.
DOOR MATS.

UPHOLSTERING GOODS.
SHOE FINDINGS,
COFFIN TRIMMINGS,
MOULDERS' TOOLS,
BIRD CAGES AND WIRE GOODS,
WINDOW GLASS,
PUTTY, WHITE LEAD, &C., &C.

☞ Every description of Goods in his line will be furnished at short notice, and at low rates for cash.

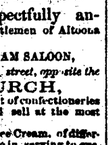
His remaining stock of DRY GOODS on hand will be closed out at remarkably low prices, in order to relinquish that branch of the business.

Agent for Wilson's "Telegraph Fodder Cutter."

Altoona, May 29th, 1862.

VALUABLE PROPERTY AT PRIVATE SALE!!

THE PROPERTY



known as the Greensburg School Property, situate in North Ward, adjoining lots of Wm. Dent, and W. A. B. Laab, is, in accordance with a resolution of the School Board, offered at Private Sale. This is a desirable property, there being TWO FULL LOTS OF GROUND AND A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE. With a little expense the house can be made to accommodate two families.

For further information inquire of Wm. Boyden, J. B Hileman, James Lowther, A. Maxwell, H. C. Lorn, or Jno. A. Ecer, School Directors.

WM. BOYDEN.
May 12, 1863—tf.] Pres't Altoona School Board.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON

MRS. C. BEITER respectfully announces to the Ladies and Gentlemen of Altoona and vicinity that she has opened a

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON,

In Jesse Smith's old Stand, on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran Church,

where she will keep on hand a choice lot of confectioneries nuts, fruit, cakes, etc., which she will sell at the most reasonable prices.

During the season she will also keep Ice Cream, of different flavors, which she will take pleasure in serving to customers at all hours of the day and evening.

Give me a call, and I will give satisfaction.

April 21st, 1863.—3m.

ONWARD! ONWARD!!

EXCELSIOR OUR MOTTO!

NOW OPEN

On the corner of Branch and Annie Streets,

EAST ALTOONA,

AN ENTIRELY

NEW STOCK OF GOODS!

HAVING DISPOSED OF THE entire stock of old goods in the above stand at auction, we desire to say to the public that we have just opened out an

ENTIRELY NEW STOCK

to which we invite the attention of the public. We are determined to sell at the

VERY LOWEST PRICES.

Our stock embraces a large and complete assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting, in part, of plain and fancy Silks, all-wool Delaines, Alpacas, Challie Delaines, plain and figured Berege, Lawns, Ginghams, Ducals, De Barge, Travelling Dress Goods, and all the

LATEST STYLE PRINTS.

Men's Wear.

We have received a large and well selected stock of GENTLEMEN'S DRESS GOODS, such as Cloths, plain and fancy Cassimeres, Cashmerets, Tweeds, Jeans, Corluroys, Beaver Teens, Velvet Cords, and other fashionable goods for men and boys.

WHITE GOODS.

Irish Linen, Cambrics, Victoria Lawns, plain and dotted Swiss, Bobinets, Edgings, &c.

We have a large assortment of Ladies' Needlework Collars and Sets, Dress Trimmings, Ribbons, Gloves, Gauntlets, Mitts, Hosiery, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Veils, &c. Also, Ticking, Checks, bleached and unbleached Muslins, Cotton and Linen Diaper, Crash, &c.

Also, a fine assortment of

SPRING SHAWLS.

We have received a large lot of

BOOTS AND SHOES,
LADIES' GAITERS,

HATS & CAPS, SHAKER BONNETS, &c., which we are determined to sell cheaper than ever.

QUEENSWARE,
CEDAR AND WILLOW-WARE,
HARDWARE,

Groceries, Flour,
Bacon, Cheese,
Syrups, Molasses,
Mackerel, Herring,
Carbon Oil, Fish Oil,
Drugs and Medicines,

and, in fact, everything usually kept in a first-class Store.

☞ As we make our purchases almost entirely for cash, and as we will sell for

CASH ONLY,

AND KEEP NO BOOKS, it will enable us to sell Goods at very moderate prices; and by fair dealing and strict attention to business we hope to secure a liberal share of public patronage.

GEIS & CO.

Altoona, April 15, 1862—tf

ESTABLISHED 1760.

PETER LORILLARD,

Snuff & Tobacco MANUFACTURER,

16 & 18, CHAMBERS ST.,

(Formerly 42 Chatham St., New York.)

would call the attention of Dealers to the articles of his manufacture, viz.:

BROWN SNUFF.

Macaboy, Demigros, Fine Rappee, Coarse Rappee, Pure Virginia, Nachitoches, American Gentleman, Copenhagen.

YELLOW SNUFF.

Scotch, Honey Dew Scotch, High Toast Scotch, Fresh Honey Dew Scotch, Irish High Toast, or Lundyfoot, Fresh Scotch.

☞ Attention is called to the great reduction in prices of Fine-Cut Chewing and Smoking Tobaccos, which will be found of a superior quality.

TOBACCO.

SMOKING.—Long, No. 1, No. 2, Nos. 1 and 2 mixed, Granulated, S. Jago, Spanish, Canaster, Turkish.

FINE CUT CHEWING.—P. A. L., or plain, Cavendish, or Sweet, Sweet Scented Oronoco, Tin Foil Cavendish.

N. B.—A circular of prices will be sent on application.

April 14, 63.—1y.]

A Benefit to All.

TRY ONE BOTTLE.

A trial will prove the fact, and facts are stubborn things.

MISHLER'S HERB BITTERS
ARE SUCCESSFUL IN EVERY CASE.

No family should be without it. Hundreds of certificates and letters of thanks are arriving every day from persons who have been cured.

THE HERB BITTERS

have never failed in curing

RHEUMATISM, DYSPEPSIA,

Female Irregularities, and all Diseases arising from

IMPURITY OF THE BLOOD,

As a Blood Purifier, Tonic and General Appertiser, these Bitters are without a rival. No Lady desiring A CLEAR COMPLEXION should be without it. Please get a circular and certificates from our Agent.

B. MISHLER,
Manufacturer and Proprietor,
LANCASTER, PA.

NOTICE.—The great success of Mishler's Herb Bitters, has induced unprincipled parties to manufacture a worthless article, which they are selling at a low price, *of which beware.* The genuine can only be bought in Blair County, of

G. W. WHITFIELD,
(Sole Agent for Blair County,)
Depot Drug Store, Main street, Altoona, Pa.

June 2d, 1863—tf.

ANDREW ECKEL,

DEALER IN

Tobacco, Cigars, Snuff, Pipes, &c., &c.,

Annie street, Altoona, Pa., and McKeage's Old Stand, Montgomery street, Hollidaysburg, Pa.

A GENERAL ASSORTMENT of Goods in his line constantly on hand at the lowest cash prices. [Feb. 7, 1863.

WASTE NOT—WANT NOT.

To the People of Altoona and vicinity.

The undersigned takes this method of informing the Public that he has just arrived from the city and located in Altoona, where he is prepared to buy up OLD WOOLEN RAGS, BRASS, COPPER AND PEWTER. He will pay the highest price in cash for all such articles, at the corner of Allegheny and Branch sts., adjoining W. T. Marriott's store.

May 28, 1863.—3m*.] F. BRADBURY.

DRIED APPLES.—The subscribers have a fine lot of bright yellow DRIED APPLES, bought at much less than market rates, and which they desire to close out, at cost and carriage, without delay.—Persons desiring to purchase, either at wholesale or retail, will find it to their advantage to give us a call.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.] MURPHY & McPIKE.

S. M. WOODKOK,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.
Altoona, Penn'a,

Will practice in the several Courts of Blair, Cambria and Huntingdon counties. Office on Virginia Street, 2 doors above Julia Street.

Feb. 3, 1863—tf.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Protection Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Blair county, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and property of every description*, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the *Tribune* office.

E. B. McCRUM, *Agent.*

NEW STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES for Men and Boys, Ladies and Misses, just rec'd at LAUGHMAN'

PLAIN & FANCY VESTS, of every size and style at LAUGHMAN'S.

R. A. O. KERR,

ALTOONA, PA.,

Agent for Blair & Huntingdon Counties.

THESE MACHINES ARE ADMITto be the best ever offered to the public, and their superiority is satisfactorily established by the fact that in the last eight years,

OVER 1,400 MORE

of these Machines have been sold than of any other manufactured, and more medals have been awarded the proprietors by different Fairs and Institutes than to any others. The Machines are warranted to do all that is claimed for them. They are now in use in several families in Altoona, and in every case they give entire satisfaction.

The Agent refers those desiring information as the superiority of the Machines, to Col. John L. Piper, Rev. A. B Clark, George Hawkesworth, Benj. F. Rose, and E. H. Turner, Esqrs.

The machines can be seen and examined at the store of the Agent, at Altoona.

Price of No. 1 Machine, silver plated, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$65. No. 2, ornamental bronze, glass foot and new style Hemmer—$55. No. 3, plain, with old style Hemmer—$45. [March 21, 1861-tf.

STOVES,

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESpectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has taken the store and shop recently occupied by *Price & Winters*, on *Annie street, East Altoona*, where he has on hand a large supply of STOVES *of all Patterns*, such as Cook, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves, which he will sell at the most reasonable prices. A large supply will always be kept on hand.

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, in great variety, always on hand.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

April 21st, 1863.—tf STEPHEN WINTERS.

THE UNDERSIGNED RESPECTfully informs the public that he will continue to keep a

BOOT & SHOE STORE,

in the room recently occupied by Roberts and Rutherford. The business heretofore carried on by them will, in the future, be in the name of JOHN H. ROBERTS.

He will keep constantly on hand a complete assortment of

Boots & Shoes,

GAITERS, SLIPPERS, &c., &c., &c

which he will offer at fair prices and warrant to be of the best material and manufacture. Particular attention will be given to

CUSTOM WORK,

in which he warrants to give entire satisfaction, as he buys the best stock and employs none but the best workmen.

Remember the old stand, on Virginia Street, one door East of Kessler's Drug Store.

Oct. 10 1862—tf. JOHN H. ROBERTS.

FARMERS TAKE NOTICE.—The undersigned is about starting a Tannery, and wishes to buy or trade for

400 CORDS

of good ROCK OAK BARK, and also for HIDES, for which the highest market price will be paid.

Altoona, April 17, '62 tf. LOUIS PLACK.

C. C. SERVER & SON,

Paper, Envelope and Printers' Card WAREHOUSE,

No. 513, MINOR STREET,

PHILADELPHIA, PA.,

HAVE CONSTANTLY ON HAND FLAT CAPS, LETTER AND NOTE.

MANILLA PAPER,
FOLIO POST,
PACKET POST,
HARDWARE, FOOLSCAP,
PRINTING PAPER, ENVELOPE
COLORED PAPER, BINDERS, TRUNK,
STRAW AND BOX BOARD, TISSUE,
SHOE, AND TEA PAPERS.
PRINTING AND MANILLA PAPER

made to order.

June 16, 1863.

J. G. ADLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

October 1, 1857.

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS.—A large and varied stock of FRESH GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS, just received, and for sale as cheap as the cheapest, at MURPHY & McPIKE'S Store,
Cor. of Virginia and Caroline sts.

Altoona, June 26, 1862.

A REGULAR MEETING OF THE ALTOONA FAIR VIEW CEMETERY ASSOCIATION will be held on the second Thursday evening of each month, in the Council Room. M. CLABAUGH,
JAS. LOWTHER, President.
Secretary. [May 15-'62]

A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Gent's Model Improved SHIRTS—Cashmere and Muslin Shirts—fine and coarse—white and colored—at LAUGHMAN'S.

OYES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

NEW AND IMPROVED STYLES of Trunks, Valises and Carpet-Bags, at LAUGHMAN'S.

NEW WINTER READY MADE Clothing just received at LAUGHMAN'S.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

MEN AND BOYS' COATS, of every style and color, of good quality, at LAUGHMAN'S.

MUSIC!—INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN on the Piano-Forte and Melodeon, by Miss M. SHOEMAKER. TERMS, $10 per quarter. No charge for the use of the Instrument. Residence on Catharine Street, West Altoona. [Jan. 16, 1862.—tf.

H. B. MILLER,
DENTIST.

☞ Office on Caroline street, between Virginia and Emma streets, Altoona. [Jan. 20—2m*

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chrome, Green, Yellow, Paris Green, dry and ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

GREAT PILES OF PANTALOONS for Men and Boys, at LAUGHMAN'S

AMERICAN Life Insurance and Trust Co.

COMPANY'S BUILDING Southeast Corner of Walnut and Fourth Streets, Philad'a.

Authorized Capital,	$500,000
Paid up Capital,	250,000
Assets,	1,897,746

Incorporated 1850, by the Legislature of Pennsylvania.

Insures Lives during the Natural life or for short terms, grants annuities and endowments, and makes contracts of all kinds depending on the issues of life.

Policies of Life Insurance issued at the usual mutual rates of other good companies—with profits to the assured—last BONUS January, 1861, being 43 per cent. of all premiums received on mutual policies—at Joint Stock rates, 20 per cent less than the above, or Total Abstinence rates 40 per cent. less than Mutual price. Also, a

NON-FORFEITURE PLAN,

By which a person pays for 5, 7, or 10 years only, when the policy is paid up for LIFE, and nothing more to pay; and should he be unable, or wish to discontinue sooner, the Company will issue a PAID UP POLICY, in proportion to the amount of premium paid, as follows:

On a Policy of $1,000, after payment of	5 Year rates.	7 Year rates.	10 Year rates.
1 Annual Premium, for	$300 00	$142 85	$100 00
2 " " "	400 00	285 70	200 00
4 " " "	800 00	571 40	400 00
6 " " "	———	857 10	600 00
8 " " "	———	———	800 00

ALEXANDER WHILLDIN, President.
SAMUEL WORK, Vice President.

JOHN S. WILSON, Secretary.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

Alexander Whilldin,	J. Edgar Thomson,
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	Samuel Work.

Any further information can be had by applying to the undersigned, who is the authorized agent for Blair County.

July 31, 1862 1y R. A. O. KERR.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to fit me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26—tm JACOB SNYDER.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

Stoves, Tin and Sheet Iron Ware.

SPOUTING, &C.

RUE WOULD RESPECTfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.

He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

☞ Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly.)

To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,
15-tf] Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette, *New York City.*

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully informs the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1858.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

SOMETHING NEW.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST returned from the east where he has purchased a very large and fine stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,
BROGANS, GAITERS, &C.,

which he is prepared to offer to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity at very low prices. Having purchased direct from the manufacturers for cash, he is prepared to sell at prices that will defy competition. All that he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.

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